

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (original): A gaming device comprising:
a display device;
a primary game operable upon a wager by a player;
a plurality of different game display interfaces operable to be displayed by the display device to represent said primary game to the player, wherein each interface includes a plurality of different symbols, wherein the symbols in each interface perform an identical function in the primary game with respect to corresponding symbols in the other interfaces, and wherein a plurality of the corresponding symbols in the interfaces are visually different from one another; and
an event that causes the display device to switch from displaying one of the interfaces for said primary game to another one of the interfaces for said primary game.

Claim 2 (original): The gaming device of claim 1, wherein the event is the player's selection of an input device that enables the player to select to switch from one of the interfaces to another one of the interfaces.

Claim 3 (original): The gaming device of claim 1, wherein the primary game is a slot game including a plurality of reels, wherein said symbols are displayed on the reels.

Claim 4 (original): The gaming device of claim 1, wherein at least two of the interfaces include at least one visually identical symbol.

Claim 5 (original): The gaming device of claim 1, wherein each symbol in one of the interfaces has a corresponding symbol in another one of the interfaces.

Claim 6 (original): The gaming device of claim 5, wherein the corresponding symbols are provided in a same frequency in said two interfaces.

Claim 7 (original): The gaming device of claim 1, wherein each symbol in one of the interfaces has a corresponding symbol in each of the other interfaces.

Claim 8 (original): The gaming device of claim 7, wherein corresponding symbols are provided in a same frequency in each of the interfaces.

Claim 9 (original): The gaming device of claim 1, wherein a plurality of symbols of one of the interfaces correspond to symbols in another one of the interfaces, and wherein the corresponding symbols have different but related indicia.

Claim 10 (original): The gaming device of claim 1, wherein a plurality of symbols of one of the interfaces correspond to symbols in another one of the interfaces, and wherein the corresponding symbols have different and unrelated indicia.

Claim 11 (original): The gaming device of claim 1, wherein the each of the interfaces includes indicia consistent with a different game theme.

Claim 12 (original): The gaming device of claim 11, wherein each theme is selected from the group consisting of: a movie theme, a television show theme, a music theme, a famous person/group theme, a sports theme, a famous historical event theme and any combination thereof.

Claims 13-23 (canceled).

Claim 24 (original): The gaming device of claim 1, wherein at least two of the interfaces are characterized by: having payouts with different volatilities, payouts yielding different expected values, payouts with different eligibility requirements, and payouts with different triggering mechanisms.

Claims 25-36 (canceled).

Claim 37 (original): A gaming device comprising:

a display device;

a primary game operable upon a wager by a player;

a plurality of different game display interfaces operable to be displayed by the display device to represent said primary game to the player, a menu operable to be displayed to the player that displays the symbols of the interfaces to the player, wherein each interface includes a plurality of different symbols, wherein the symbols in each interface perform an identical function in the primary game with respect to corresponding symbols in the other interfaces, and wherein a plurality of the corresponding symbols in the interfaces are visually different from one another; and

an event that causes the display device to switch from displaying one of the interfaces for said primary game to another one of the interfaces for said primary game.

Claim 38 (original): The gaming device of claim 37, wherein the event is the player's selection of an input device corresponding to said menu and that enables the player to select to switch from one of the interfaces displayed by said menu to another one of the interfaces displayed by said menu.

Claim 39 (original): The gaming device of claim 37, wherein the primary game is a slot game including a plurality of reels, wherein said symbols are displayed on the reels.

Claim 40 (original): The gaming device of claim 37, wherein at least two of the interfaces include at least one visually identical symbol.

Claim 41 (original): The gaming device of claim 37, wherein each symbol in one of the interfaces has a corresponding symbol in another one of the interfaces.

Claim 42 (original): The gaming device of claim 41, wherein the corresponding symbols are provided in a same frequency in said two interfaces.

Claim 43 (original): The gaming device of claim 37, wherein each symbol in one of the interfaces has a corresponding symbol in each of the other interfaces.

Claim 44 (original): The gaming device of claim 43, wherein corresponding symbols are provided in a same frequency in each of the interfaces.

Claim 45 (previously presented): The gaming device of claim 37, wherein a plurality of symbols of one of the interfaces correspond to symbols in another one of the interfaces, and wherein the corresponding symbols have different but related indicia.

Claim 46 (previously presented): The gaming device of claim 37, wherein a plurality of symbols of one of the interfaces correspond to symbols in another one of the interfaces, and wherein the corresponding symbols have different and unrelated indicia.

Claim 47 (previously presented): A gaming device comprising: a display device; a primary game operable upon a wager by a player; a plurality of visually different interfaces which are each adapted to be displayed by the display device to represent the primary game to the player, wherein each interface includes a plurality of the different symbols, wherein the symbols in each interface perform an identical function in the primary game in accordance with a paytable of the primary game, and wherein a plurality of the different symbols in each one of the interfaces look visually different than the plurality of the different symbols in each of the other interfaces that perform the same function; and an input device which enables the player to cause the display device to switch from displaying one of the interfaces for said primary game to another one of the interfaces for said primary game.

Claim 48 (previously presented): A gaming device comprising: a display device; a primary game operable upon a wager by a player; a plurality of different game display interfaces operable to be displayed by the display device to represent the primary game to the player, wherein each interface includes a plurality of different symbols, wherein the symbols in each interface perform an identical function in the primary game with respect to corresponding symbols in the other interfaces, wherein each symbol in each of the interfaces has a corresponding symbol in each of the other interfaces, wherein the corresponding symbols are provided in a same frequency in each of said interfaces, and wherein a plurality of the corresponding symbols in the interfaces are visually different from one another; and an event that causes the display device to switch from displaying one of the interfaces for said primary game to another one of the interfaces for said primary game.

Claim 49 (previously presented): The gaming device of claim 48, wherein the event is the player's selection of an input device that enables the player to select to switch from one of the interfaces to another one of the interfaces.

Claim 50 (previously presented): The gaming device of claim 48, wherein the primary game is a slot game including a plurality of reels, wherein said symbols are displayed on the reels.

Claim 51 (previously presented): The gaming device of claim 48, wherein each of the interfaces include at least one visually identical symbol.